

Out in A Limb

An Editorial

In Victoria, B.C., on the 4th December, 1933, the Premiers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia met in solemn conclave—considered the financial condition of these respective provinces—and decided unanimously, and as a matter which had referred to a position far beyond all considerations of party politics, to notify Prime Minister Bennett at Ottawa that the crash has come. Though expressed in diplomatic words, there is no doubt the crash has come and no fooling.

The notice means plainly that the provinces cannot take care of their unemployed; cannot pay their bond interest, and cannot undertake any public works to give employment to their distressed work-people.

This is the dreadful ending of the Conservative policy of sky-high tariffs; dearer, scarcer money and restricted credit. The overseas commerce of Canada wrecked; the home market strangled by lack of buying power; construction work a thing of the past; farmers' prices all shot; and over all national distresses the dark shadow of the army of the unemployed. Politically the outlook must be no better to the Prime Minister than was the outlook to Napoleon during his retreat from Moscow.

There is no alibi; the Conservative majority in parliament had a free hand—their prescriptions were filled as written; their policies were put into force fully and without change or amendment; and the net result has been a dreadful misfortune in our national life.

The definite notifications given by the four Premiers to the Prime Minister are of such wide scope and grave

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RECAPITALIZING RACKET REMAINS UNCHECKED EVIL

Canadian Public Unprotected Against Stock Watering Schemes Which Mulet Millions From People

By J. S. COWPER

With the enactment of the "Securities Act" of the Roosevelt administration, Canada is now the only remaining portion of the northern continent in which the "recapitalization racket" is allowed to operate unchecked.

It isn't a criminal racket like holding up a poor chap with a gun and taking his watch and chain. It's a perfectly respectable and honored racket, practised by the greatest of the financiers, whereby you extract money from the pockets of the general public without them being aware.

You take a little money, like a hold-up man. You take it at the rate of millions a time.

The financiers and investment bankers of United States have taken billions out of the pockets of the American public before Roosevelt came to power. In Canada countless millions have been obtained in the same way, saddling whole industries with millions of indebtedness on which interest must be paid. It's a racket that only wealthy men or men in control of vast amounts of depositors or policy-holders' funds can take part in. But it's a sure winner. Sometimes the industry dies or goes bankrupt, like the chain of "recapitalized" pulp and paper companies of Canada, but the operators get out of the game before the smash comes.

MILLIONS FOR NOTHING

One of the recent scandals which show how millions can sometimes be made by means of a selling agency and without doing anything but peddling the goods of others is the case of the recapitalization of the Dodge Brothers car company. By the New York investment banker, Dillon, Read and Co., Mr. Dillon is now a millionaire. His former partner, named Lapowski, had changed his name to Lapowski and had changed his name to Lapowski. When they "recapitalized" the Dodge Brothers, Dillon and Lapowski received from underwriters and subscribers all over the country.

SIR JOHN TO VISIT REDUCE

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Sir John Simon, secretary for foreign affairs, will spend the Christmas holidays at the House of Commons on the continent, but, political observers believe, it will be no vacation.

They expect him to discuss with Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy and other ministers the deadlock in disarmament and the League of Nations situation growing out of the dispute over the Italian colony of Ethiopia.

SEARCH ON FOR LOST HUNTER

LETHBRIDGE, Alta., Dec. 14.—Not a trace has been found of Alex. Sherwood, Fenwick hunter, last seen Sunday, a special dispatch to the Lethbridge Herald states.

Authorities are mystified by the disappearance of the hunter who was last seen on the 10th inst., 30 miles southeast of Fenwick, where he was hunting for a moose. Search parties are still working but with some 30 inches deep operations are difficult.

VINCENT MASSEY MAY BE NAMED HEAD OF N'GILL

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—Appointment of a principal of McGill University to replace the late General Sir Arthur Currie may not be so convenient the chancellor, R. W. Beatty, K.C., will convene the board of governors to discuss the appointment.

Several names have been mentioned in connection with the appointment. Vincent Massey, C.M.G., M.P., is the name of the Ontario premier, and Dr. W. Hamilton Fyfe, M.P., is the name of the Ontario premier.

Insult Seeks Stay
ATHENS, Greece, Dec. 14.—Samuel Inskip, former Foreign Office official, has filed a writ of habeas corpus with the government of Greece today to prevent his removal to Italy.

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Seven School Kiddies Die In Bus Accident

Many Injured When Train Crashes Vehicle at Level Crossing

CRISSENT CITY, Fla., Dec. 14.—Seven school children were killed and between 30 and 40 others injured, some of them expected to die, when a freight train crashed into a school bus at a grade crossing six miles south of here this morning. The bus was from the Crescent City elementary school.

The bus had a capacity of 40 to 50 children, and reports said all aboard were hurt or killed. The bus driver, D. B. Niles, was seriously injured.

There was a case of wild conduct as parents rushed about seeking to identify the casualties.

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Hatchmen Go Savage In Gaming Row

Police Reserves Called to Combat Disturbances Among Orientals

MONTREAL, Dec. 14.—Struck down by hatchmen of a gaming house today, three Chinese were being taken to the hospital for serious wounds. Police reserves arrested 10 of the beating Oriental gamblers and rushed them to police headquarters.

The disturbance broke out in the Dot Cien club, in the heart of Montreal's Chinatown. Two rival gangs, police explained, have for some time been in dispute over tribute from gambling houses.

The warring gangs flamed knives in a wild struggle which soon spread to the street. From bars, as was expected, leveled several Chinese and the scene was red with blood.

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voting shares, which they sold for
an untraced amount to Walter
Chrysler.

Recent Canadian instance is that
of the British Columbia Electric
Company, with head office in Lon-
don. Montreal financiers some time
ago bought it for \$80,000.00 and
immediately refunded it for \$80,
000.00—an easy way of picking off
\$20,000.00.

This year it is announced by
company officials the revenue will
not be sufficient to pay the usual
return on \$80,000.00. It has aban-
doned the school children's reduced
fare tickets and is asking the City
Council to approve a higher fare.
Parents of school children will have
to sacrifice to meet the interest on
the thirty millions of water stock
which the Montreal financiers left
behind when they recapitalized the
company.

NOT ONLY UTILITIES
It isn't only public utilities that
bear the burden, though these are
the easiest to coerce the public
with. Every man who buys a sack
of cement pays toll. Every person
who buys a newspaper pays toll to
the recapitalizers of the Newspaper
business. It is hard to drive a nail
or use a handful of paint, or keep
your hands or dry them on a towel
without paying tribute to the re-
capitalizers of these businesses.

The founder of the house of As-
tor who used to let his cattle drink
copiously at the water trough be-
fore driving them onto the weight
scale, gave the manipulators of
a different kind of a stock or
idea out of which they have made
billions in return for nothing.

So far as United States is con-
cerned, Roosevelt and his advisers
have taken steps to see that the
watering of securities will not take
place without the buyers being in
full possession of all material in-
formation. The Act is much too
long for reprinting in full even in
the material clauses. It has been
covered with a view of making it
so widely inclusive possible.

COVERS EVERYTHING
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stock, treasury stock, bond, debenture,
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tificate of interest or any di-
vidends, profit-sharing agreement,
collateral-trust certificate, pre-
ference certificate or subscrip-
tion, transferable share, investment
contract, voting-trust certificate,
certificate of interest in property,
tangible or intangible or, in general,
any instrument commonly known
as a security, or any certificate of
interest or participation in, tem-

Before a small gathering of friends, Pitt Dorsey, vivacious
French Canadian film actress, and her "Beeg Boy" Maurice Hill,
former medical student, were married in St. Vincent's Catholic
church, Hollywood, Calif. The wedding included a romance of
several months and recently they both were charged on a "trial
honeymoon." Photo shows Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Hill (Pitt Dorsey)
immediately after the wedding.



showing true state of the business,
including any loan to any officer,
director or stockholder, in excess
of \$20,000, also a profit and loss
statement showing income and ex-
penses for the two years ending
with stock dividends shown ap-
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MUST SHOW COMMISSIONS
Statement of commissions or dis-
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including cash or other considera-
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Details of forfeitures in the pre-
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**Commons Speaker Urges
Empire to Hit Back at
Aggressive Nations**

LONDON, Dec. 14.—Declaring that
Great Britain should "hit back and
hit hard at aggressive countries
fighting her shipping," Walter Hun-
ciman, president of the board of
trade, said last night a subsidy for
tramp ships was being considered
by the government.

Not only would it aid industry, he
said in the house of commons, but
it would be a defense measure in
the event of war.

Mr. Hunciman's statement fol-
lowed that of Neville Chamberlain,
chancellor of the exchequer, that
an early merger of the Great
Canal and White Star North At-
lantic liner lines was being con-
sidered.

When the merger is completed,
Chamberlain asserted, he will
eventually have a program for facilitating
completion of the huge Cunard
liner SS, which would be the largest
ship afloat.

Work on the SS was suspended
more than a year ago but if govern-
ment assistance is received it is
expected to be operated jointly by
the Cunard and White Star com-
panies.

The SS would be a super-liner,
carrying approximately 25,000 tons
and with a tonnage of 70,000 tons.

Mr. Hunciman said the govern-
ment also is "taking into account
disabilities under which British
lines labor," referring to the
United States' ban on foreign con-
signment shipping and a proposed
proposal for public ownership of ship-
ping and shipbuilding, was voted
down by the house, 221 to 24.

of investment bankers and under-
writers who offer foreign securities
for sale. Instead of being able to
withhold from customers information
that would put them on their
guard, investment bankers in the future
will have to furnish the fullest pos-
sible information about the character
of the foreign country and assume
responsibility for its statement.

MAKES FOR SAFETY
In short, the new Securities Act
will make it relatively easy for a
man or woman to buy a share of
stock or a foreign bond as a sound
investment, and to sell it at any time.

It is too late to give back to
invested money the full protection
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**SPANISH FIND
SECRET ARMS**

MADRID, Dec. 14.—Government
officials, pushing their roundup of
participants in Spain's anarchical
revolt, reported the discovery of
large quantities of arms today in
several cities in which the up-
rising raged most ferociously.

Presumably measures to guard
against new outbreaks were con-
tinued by authorities in the af-
fected provinces of central and
northeastern Spain.

Only a few scattered disorders
were reported today.

**ONE DEFENDER
YACHT SIGHTED**

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—With the
deadline which heels must be laid
drawing near, it appeared certain
today only one United States yacht
would be built to defend the Amer-
ican Cup next summer against the
challenge of T. O. M. Sopwith's
British Endeavour.

Where four syndicates were
formed for the last defence in 1908
and each spent an estimated \$1,
000,000, only one boatman in these
days of depressed dollars, and
every economy possible will be
employed in equipping the new de-
fender.

**Wallace-Peek
Urge Support**

CHICAGO, Dec. 14.—Two dis-
agreeing leaders in the Roosevelt
farm recovery program, Secretary
of Agriculture Henry Wallace and
Administrator George N. Peek, of
the Agricultural Adjustment Act
unit yesterday in urging the
American Farm Bureau Federation
to undertake support of the President's plan.

They arrived in Chicago on the
same train but in separate cars
on an announcement in the
Washington that Peek was through
an administrator and would take
charge of a movement to increase
American farm exports.

Bright Ones Favored

GUELPH, Ont., Dec. 14.—Pupils
of Ontario public schools, in their
work, will have their classes
for an hour before school hours
in their work, school principals
have decided.

Get your Exchange Tickets for
Charley's Band, Shasta Cafe, Luther
Drug Store or Mike's News Stand.

NATIONAL HOME CLEARANCE SALE

In order to reduce our Stock for Annual Stocktaking, we are offering \$10,000.00 worth of merchandise at Factory Prices!

Chesterfield Suites

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Are grouped into three lots for quick clearance. All these suites comprise Chesterfield, Guest Chair, and Gent's Chair, and are upholstered in the finest of mohair and the newest imported tapestry coverings—have hardwood frames and Marshall spring construction. Are worth double what they are marked.

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Why not trade in your old suite as part payment and have a new suite delivered for Christmas. It is a family gift.

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about the New Ford V-8 for 1934

Greater power at still lower cost through new Dual Carburetion—Increased motoring comfort because of simplified Clear-vision Ventilation—Easier riding through flexible springs, deeper seat cushions and softer cushion springs—Distinctive new appearance—Many other features

1 More Miles Per Gallon—More Power, Speed and Efficiency with Dual Carburetion—Greater Oil Economy

The performance and economy of the 1933 Ford V-8 has been the talk of thousands of motorists. Owners said: "Leave it alone, it's perfect as it is." Dealers said: "Impossible to improve it!" But we have improved it—in every direction. We started with the engine. The Ford V-8 for 1934 is more powerful, more efficient, easier to start in cold weather, yet it is the most economical motor ever built—largely because of the new Dual Carburetor and Dual Intake System. Furthermore, even in the coldest weather the V-8 engine warms up quickly and maintains an efficient operating temperature because of new thermostats in the waterline and the thermostatic intake manifold best control.

2 Clear-vision Ventilation—and the Windshield Opens

There's nothing to obstruct the view in the Ford V-8. The front of the windshield is hinged in simplicity itself. The same handle that raises the window glass also slides it back laterally to the ventilating position, and then the forward motion of the car draws the air out of the body. The result is that the windshield will not fog in cold weather. Another interesting feature of the V-8 system—the windshield can be opened! This, and the cool ventilator, provide the ideal air needed for hot weather comfort.

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Milne Play Will Bring Out New Talent

Little Theatre Play Set For Friday and Saturday

WHEN the Edmonton Little Theatre presents its second annual major production on Friday and Saturday evenings in the Separate School Hall, "A Milne's Detective Comedy," The Perfect Alibi—a number of new players will be seen in important roles. Of the eleven members of the cast, seven have never played in a Little Theatre major production.

Miss Margaret Mooney, who takes the lead, and the difficult role of Susan Ludgate, the bravest part in the play, has entertained the Little Theatre audiences only once when she gave an excellent performance in a one-act play this fall in that same play, Mr. J. F. Howard, who now plays Edward Pontifex Carter, the villain of the piece. Aiding Carter in his nefarious work is Mr. William Wallace as Laverick, who comes to the Edmonton Little Theatre this season from Brandon.

Dr. Honoring noted criminologist, recently settled in Edmonton, will appear as Arthur Ludgate, one of the leading characters in the story. Miss Mary Duncan, who almost stole the show as Mrs. Evans in "See Naples and Die" at the University last spring, plays a part of similar role this week as the fussy, likable Mrs. Pulverton-Fane. Appearing in action with her is another newcomer, Mrs. Kathleen Taylor, who takes the part of Jane West, a black, bold and ultra-modern.

The part of Jimmy Ludgate, juvenile felon, is taken by Stewart Carson, replacing Christopher Jackson, who is forced by illness to abandon the role. Carson made a great impression last week as the Prince in "Flarebush," presented by the Dramatic Club, and is perhaps the city's most promising younger actors.

The four players who have been in major productions before are Mr. Fred Van Carey, Mr. R. V. Clark, Mr. J. C. R. Richardson and Mr. J. Salsenell. Of these, Mr. Van Carey is the only one who has done any extensive work before and he may be trusted to provide remarkably good entertainment. Mr. Richardson is admirably cast as Major Forbush, a field bachelor of sixty years, who still thinks himself quite eligible. Mr. Clark, who

At Charity Tea



MRS. DANIEL KNOTT, whose interest in the welfare of the unfortunate of the city never flags, will be one of those to lend her patronage to the tea being held in the Separate School Hall on Friday afternoon in aid of the community service mission, conducted by Mrs. T. H. Golden. Mrs. Knott will join tea with Mrs. Clyde Macdonald, Mrs. Conyn-Chung and Mrs. Hector Kennedy. Mrs. F. McDonald, Mrs. F. Shaw, Mrs. R. Bore and Mrs. F. Watters are on the committee to assist with arrangements.

appeared in "Hay Fever" does a London police sergeant, and Mr. Salsenell will be Adams the butler. Although several interruptions in rehearsal were suffered, Mrs. Knott has been very successful. Mrs. Knott has been very successful. Mrs. Knott has been very successful.

Choral Society Entertains At Red Cross Hut

Soldier patients at the University Hospital enjoyed a program given by the Canadian Scottish Choral Society, which sang at the Red Cross Hut on Friday evening. Mrs. Dore, Mrs. Adams, Madame Cameron and Mr. Louis Alexander were the soloists. Mrs. J. C. R. Richardson and Mr. J. Salsenell were the soloists. Mrs. J. C. R. Richardson and Mr. J. Salsenell were the soloists.

USE TALCUM

Talcum applied thickly over greasy spots that have gotten on suits and dresses will cause such marks to disappear. Repeat until spots have vanished.

Social-Personal

ARM, smug togues and berets, coat collars that are high and overdone have impressed the feminine sex with a sense of their own conservatism. The return of the very practical derby or fedora that sits at a jaunty angle over the man's head, and which is comfortable to wear, and has always been a source of great derision, is the latest trend to venture forth with ear muffs.

Today, the stranger sex is getting its own back. Have you noticed how many pretty young girls are wearing their smart warm fur coats are wearing those very, very heavy duty over-hats? Little bits of bonnets that are on one side of the head, and have their points from a fashion angle... but they have much to be learned on a below-average day with a strong wind blowing.

LAUREN

Snowflakes cover the face of night like ghosts of thimbleweed, silver bright.

Softer than snowflakes falling

Softer than thimbleweed silver white

But blue

How like a breath of fairy song

Brief and lovely... and dead... ever long.

Ghosts of thimbleweed, snowflakes

And cover the dead with a silver path

M. JEAN ALEXANDER.

Now smart get wear wearing a long pair of velvet gloves wrapped in dark purple, with a high wrap of vertical stripes making a good finish. Stripes just learned to dance out of the shop, over your right eye, we now have to discover how to wear it. The new face is a decided tendency toward dark printed cottons.

Of interest is the arrival in Edmonton of Mrs. M. J. K. Hill, who is the wife of the late Mr. J. K. Hill. She is the wife of the late Mr. J. K. Hill. She is the wife of the late Mr. J. K. Hill.

Mr. E. B. Baldwin has left for Regina to spend the Christmas holidays with his sister, Miss E. B. Brown.

Strathcona Commercial High School is holding a skating party at Rogers rink, to be held on Friday evening, December 29th, in the Normal gymnasium.

Mrs. James Anderson of Bon Accord has returned to the city this week and is stopping with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Anderson at their home on Connaught Drive.

Miss Agnes Corbett will be at home on Thursday next week to spend Christmas time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Corbett. Miss Corbett has been attending Strathcona Lodge college in Vancouver.

Mrs. George Bowker of Ponoka is spending a few days in Edmonton, the guest of her sister, Mrs. D. Mair.

Miss Sylvia A. Cuthbert, entertained members of the Ritz Girls at her home on Monday evening. Plans were made for a banquet in the Shasta Peacock Room on Friday evening, when the dancing will be the charity rally will take place.

Sir John Hewitt, bailiff of Exile and his daughter, Mrs. L. M. Atkinson, Justice of the Peace, Mr. J. H. Goss, Justice of the Peace, Mr. J. H. Goss, Justice of the Peace, Mr. J. H. Goss, Justice of the Peace.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Bue, daughter of General and Mrs. A. D. McKinnon of Vancouver, is having a New Year for New Year to embark on the British Columbia for a world cruise.

Mr. and Madam S. Cameron have arrived in the city from Edinburgh, Scotland, to reside. Madam Cameron is a Scottish singer who is already being for talent to local organizations and has become a member of the Canadian Scottish Choral Society.

Naval Volunteers Are Hosts At Smart Dance

Club Academy is Scene of Happy Affair Wed. night

Royal Canadian Naval Volunteers were hosts at a dance in the Club Academy on Wednesday evening when their guests were the members of the Order of St. John of Jerusalem. The committee was headed by William Stewart, Mr. Jack Peterson and Mr. C. W. Lett. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bailing, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bailing, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bailing, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bailing.

The dance was a success and the guests enjoyed the evening. The committee was headed by William Stewart, Mr. Jack Peterson and Mr. C. W. Lett. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Bailing, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bailing, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bailing, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bailing.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell D. Henderson, who are leaving next week for Medicine Hat, were the guests of the club on Wednesday night. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. M. J. K. Hill.

Miss Doris Penfold whose marriage to Dr. Thomas Hawtrey will take place on New Year's day, was the guest of honor. In company with her were Mrs. J. K. Hill and Mr. J. K. Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill entertained Wednesday evening at their home. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill.

Miss Zella Davis, Miss Pearl Dunn, Miss Anna Bernstein and Miss Ida Bernstein entertained Sunday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. K. Hill. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hill.

LEGION HOLDS CARD PARTY AND DANCE

The first of a series of social affairs and dances under the auspices of the Canadian Legion B.E.L.I. Edmonton branch, was held on Wednesday evening. A very enjoyable social evening was spent by the members, their wives and friends. The program included singing, dancing and a most interesting and amusing entertainment.

The following artists contributed to the program: Mr. Jack Jones, a most delightful evening was spent.

The Honorable Isaac Parley is in the city from Mandan, Park, this week, and is a guest at the Corbett.

Members of the Lady Aberdeen League are meeting at 7:30 this evening in the Massey Hotel.

The Canadian Scottish Choral Society will entertain at a concert and dance Saturday evening in the Rainbow Room. The program will include singing, dancing and a most interesting and amusing entertainment.

Mr. Cedrick Hopper has left for Vancouver, where he will spend the Christmas holidays.

Miss Cora Hain returned this week to Winnipeg after spending several weeks in Montreal, Ottawa and Toronto.

Miss Joyce Youth has returned to Calgary after attending the Junior Prom here.

Mr. Justice Boyle and Mrs. Boyle are entertaining at dinner bridge at their residence in Glendon, Thursday this evening in honor of Chief Justice Sumner of Calgary and Judge Jackson of Lethbridge, when comes will be laid for them. Other guests will be Dr. and Mrs. George Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Logie, Miss Ella Grant and Mr. T. W. Winn.

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Calgary Artists To Be Heard At Musical Club Here

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Gifts Are Needed To Make Christmas

More "Christmas" Assistance of any kind to the great work being done at these Mission in the city, and from which Mrs. B. E. Edwards, 1618 16th street, telephone 2284.

It wouldn't be much of a Christmas dinner without a roast of meat, or a turkey, or at least a chicken, would it? It wouldn't seem like Christmas without a few apples or oranges, or without some little candies. If you had no cake the rest of the year, you would make it at Christmas, wouldn't you?

If you were packing Christmas hampers and found them from complete. If you had hundreds of them that needed such a dollar, or more to make it "Christmas" and to make you do it, you had no more funds for the purpose. You would appeal to your friends, of course, and that is what Host Mission is doing.

Some of Mrs. Edwards' friends are seeing her look a bit downcast. She can't laugh her big practice in buying supplies, make a dollar go very far indeed, but the dollar she can't get.

The old Scotch proverb "Money makes a man a miser" is true. It is a lovely plan that is being carried out by a club of boys and girls in Oliver school in having a "Self-Denial" for Christmas.

If you're going south for the winter, you can assure your formal dinner party with a little gift, or a box of chocolates, or a box of fruit.

Mrs. Balfour, Miss Bertha Woods, and Miss Margaret Coupland, pianists, will be the soloists. The program will include singing, dancing and a most interesting and amusing entertainment.

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German Girls Happy In Roles At Home-makers

German girls are happy in their training for their new roles of home makers, says Frau von Tilling, one of the two German women delegates to the fourth League of Nations assembly, which opened in September, and from which Germany withdrew. Frau von Tilling has long been a teacher in the higher school of her native land, and a member of Reichstag.

REMOVES SPOTS

Spirits of camphor will remove white spots from furniture. It is also fine for stains on dresses.

Women's Musical Club Organ Recital

First Presbyterian Church Saturday Afternoon, December 16th at 2 p.m.

German M. Milman, organist. Dorothy Macdonald, soprano. This recital will be open to non-members at a special admission fee.

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Fewer, Better Films Say

PRODUCERS TO MAKE LESS OF CHEAPER SORT

Hollywood Estimates Show Nearly 500 Productions Made Yearly

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 14.—Motion picture producers are making fewer pictures, but they are making better pictures, say Hollywood producers here. They say the number of pictures made last year was 497, but the quality was better than in any year since 1929.

"We know that the average picture made last year was better than the average picture made in 1929," says Samuel Goldwyn, Cecil B. De Mille and Charles H. Rogers have long been producers of the "best" but better pictures.

Typhoid In Paris
PARIS, Dec. 14.—A typhoid epidemic here caused police today to issue a warning to the public to use only city drinking water. Investigation against the disease was urged.

CAPITOL

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HOLLYWOOD GOSSIP

INTIMATE GLIMPSES AND INSIDE STUFF ON THE MOVIE COLONY

By DAN THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 14.—The big hope of conversation in Hollywood today is old John Barter. We can go back to the gold standard of the industry to challenge Primo Camera. Wall Street can make him a picture. The only thing which counts to him in Hollywood is liquor.

Of course, there are no making pictures out here, but the chief conversation will center around "What's your favorite drink?" Why, up at Del Monte, a few hundred miles from here, they've even organized a National Association for the Advancement of the Fine Art of Drinking, with judges to everything to select the most tasty drink. Keeping all that in mind, it seems more or less fitting if not proper to dig up the favorite recipes of a few recent celebrities. Hope you like the idea and I'll also be interested in learning how you like the drinks.

EAST SIDE STUFF
Not much favorite is a trappe consisting of one part cognac, one part grapefruit juice, and sugar to suit your taste.

Stuart Erwin and June Collyer made a drink which they call an "Avenue A." It consists of two-thirds bourbon and one-third rum, well and strain into cocktail glasses.

TEMPTING THE GODS
Sally O'Neil's favorite is a "Fallen Angel," made with two-thirds gin, one-third grapefruit and pineapple juice, and just enough cream de menthe to color and flavor it. Add ice and shake well.

Jack Oakie prefers a lime cocktail, made as follows: Squeeze one lime in small glass of boiling water and sweeten to taste. Pour that

into cocktail shaker filled with shaved ice and add four portions of gin and four dashes of bitters. Shake it well.

HERE'S ONE WITH A KICK
Even the Brown Derby has a specialty, which it calls "Fanny's Punch." This is made with a jug of brandy, juice of three lemons, a dash of grenadine, and Jamaica rum floated on top. This is served in a tall glass filled with shaved ice and garnished with cherries and a slice of orange.

John Miljan, whose drinking experience goes back to the days of offers a "Smash." One lump of sugar is dissolved in water, into which four leaves of mint are crushed into it. This is poured over brandy, juice of three lemons, and one-half ounce of rum. These liquids should be floated on top of the other.

JOAN'S TASTE IS SIMPLE
Joan Bennett prefers a good old Martini dressed up with a dash of absinthe and served in a glass with both lemon and orange peel. Claudette Colbert's favorite is a "Parisian Potpourri," made in a wine glass with two-thirds curacao, two-thirds brandy, and one-half ounce of rum. These liquids should be floated on top of the other.

CONSTANCE BARNETT OFFERS
A "Brandy Blazer," made with one lump of sugar, one piece of orange, one piece of lemon peel, and one wine glass of brandy. Serve in a small thick glass, light with a match and allow to burn for 30 seconds, stirring it all the while.

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GROWING CROWDS FLOCK TO EMPIRE FOR "ELIZABETH"

Show-by-show at the New Empire, business for the British Guild production "Elizabeth Sleeps Out" has increased by leaps and bounds.

Mr. Ernest Willis, general manager, says the show has "made it" and the increasingly crowded houses indicate that he is right. The picture, which has been running since the first of the season, has been a tremendous success.

"Elizabeth Sleeps Out," written by Leslie Howard, is a picture for blues, depression and that "down-in-the-dog" feeling. It is well-acting, smart, ultra subtle and witty, with laughs coming as fast as bumper cars in a picture.

It is history that wherever "Elizabeth" has been played by the Guild actors, their lines are frequently "stalled" by the vociferous murmuring of the audience. The critics frankly advise that the picture is a masterpiece.

At the Empire, the picture is running in a seven-week engagement. It is a picture that is a masterpiece.

BETTY COMPTON MARRIED TO HER MANAGER

ALBUQUERQUE, N.M., Dec. 14.—Before a crowd of several thousand persons, Betty Compton, motion picture actress, and her manager, Irving Weinberg, were married here last night during a 20-minute train stop.

Miss Compton was given away in marriage by Maybelle Carter, sister of the late Al Jolson.

The ceremony was performed by Justice of the Peace J. L. O'Leary.

Miss Compton is 26. Her husband is 36.

Both Miss Compton and Weinberg have been in the picture business for several years.

Miss Compton was divorced three years ago from James Cruise, motion picture director.

HERE'S ONE SUIT CLAIRE WINDSOR WON HANDS DOWN

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 14.—A municipal court judge has ruled that Claire Windsor, actress, possesses great dramatic ability and is not capable of appearing in a picture.

The ruling was made yesterday by Judge Irving Tappin, who decided that Miss Windsor's booking agent, Edward Sullivan, was not liable for \$1,200 asked by Richard Alter, stage producer.

Alter alleged he signed Miss Windsor to play the leading role in a stage production and charged her with a violation of contract.

Miss Windsor was suitable only for silent pictures.

Galy Invites Gyro Convention

CALGARY, Dec. 14.—Calgary Gyro club has decided to invite Gyro International to hold its 1934 convention here. They believe the invitation will be accepted.

Can't Collect Salary

LONDON, Dec. 14.—The Lordships of the judicial committee of the Privy Council today dismissed the appeal of Clifford Reilly, K.C., of Hull, Que., from a judgment of the Canadian Superior Court which decided he was not entitled to recover salary for unauthorized portion of his term as member of the Privy Council.

Irene Is Amelia In New Comedy

Miss Irene Robertson, talented member of the British Guild Players, is making a big individual hit with the role of "Amelia" in "Elizabeth Sleeps Out."

Her work in all the Guild productions is marked by outstanding merit, even in a galaxy of clever stars.

For the first time Jean Harlow and Lee Tracy, two of the picture world's most colorful personalities, are starred together in "Bombshell," the picture of the Hollywood film life which opened Wednesday at the Capitol theatre where it continues today and Friday.

"Bombshell" presents one of the most unusual and hilariously humorous pictures that have come out of Hollywood.

It is a made-to-order part for Miss Harlow who gives it all the punch and vitality which film-goers expect to see in the heroine of "Red Dust" and "Hold Your Breath," to Space Hanten, her publicity director, is as dynamic and speedy as ever.

The supporting cast includes Frank Morgan, Franchot Tone, Pat O'Brien, Max Baer, Ted Healy, Ivan Linow, Robert Jewell, Mary Kay, C. Aubrey Smith, and Jane Brewster.

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THE TWAINITES



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Eskimos Will Face Tigers Confidently In Game Tomorrow

Keamen Oppose Bengals in Pro Game Here

Friday Night

With their objective of a higher position in the Northwestern Professional Hockey League standings, Duke Keate Edmonton Eskimos will clash with the Calgary Tigers in a matinee game at 2:30 p.m. on Friday night, starting at \$3.00 a cover.

Eskimos have a great chance to tie with Portland for second place in the league with a victory here by winning tomorrow's game and will be a real incentive for them to turn in a victory.

MUTTAP PUCK

TEAM FORMED

Always eager to support girls' sporting activities Meril D. Muttap, popular businessman of this city announced Tuesday that arrangements had been completed for sponsoring a girls' hockey team to play in the city.

The team will play in the city league with the Edmonton's Hustlers, last year's Division 1 champions.

Mr. Muttap also announced that he had signed Johnny Remaruk, former Nottat Edmonton, hockey player.

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played up better than they had in games previously. Another work-out is being held today, when the Reds will taper off for the important clash with the southerners.

Clarence Campbell will referee the contest.

In a northern section, Third Division League fixture Chesterfield v. Notts County was played. The section leader, defeated Barrow 2-1.

Rugby games resulted as follows:

Rugby Union County Championship

WINDSOR. Dec. 14.—It took an overtime session and a costly penalty to the visiting team to bring about a 3-2 victory for Windsor Bulldogs over Cleveland in an International Hockey League game here Wednesday night. Letor Dubruick broke a 1-0 deadlock late in the extra period when he beat Joe Sark with a shot through a maze of Cleveland players on a pass from Bill Regan was in the penalty box at the time.



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